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NOVEL HETEROCYCLIC COMPOUNDS USEFUL FOR THE TREATMENT OF  
Invention: INFLAMMATORY AND ALLERGIC DISORDERS: PROCESS FOR THEIR PREPARATION  
AND PHARMACEUTICAL COMPOSITIONS CONTAINING THEM

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Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

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Independent Claims	6	- 7 =	0	x	
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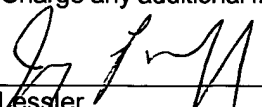
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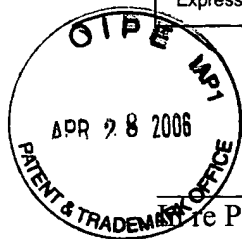
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**AMENDMENT**

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Dear Sir:

**INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

In response to the Office Action dated December 13, 2005, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 19 of this paper.